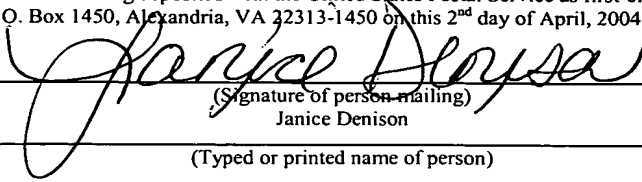


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In response to the Examiner's Amendment and Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed January 2, 2004, Applicants respectfully submit the following Amendment/Remarks and substitute Declaration in conjunction with the payment of Issue Fees. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-1445.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

An **Appendix** consisting of a substitute Declaration is attached following page 5 of this paper.